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Dear Sir:

As a means of complying with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 CFR §1.56, Applicant lists the following references (copies of the listed patents enclosed).

U.S. Patent Documents				
Exam. Initials	Class/ Subclass.	Document No.	Date	Name
SMG	34/10	4,000,563	01/1977	Cubitt et al.
SMG	34/582	6,367,165	04/2002	Huettlin

Foreign Patent Documents			
Exam. Initials	Document No.	Date	Country
SMG	31 07 357 A1	1982	DE (with English abstract)
SMG	203 826	1983	DD (with English abstract)
SMG	37 05 353 A1	1987	DE (with English abstract)
SMG	1 025 899 A1	2000	EP (see US 6,367,165 above)
SMG	199 04 147 A1	2000	DE (see US 6,367,165 above)

The listed patents pertain in a general way to the subject matter of the application, but are not necessarily considered to be analogous prior art.